GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
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Ordnance Factory Board
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has set up an Ordnance Factory Board to achieve self-sufficiency in defence production; and

(b) if so, the details of the works carried out by the said board during the last three years and the current year?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
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(a) & (b): Ordnance Factory Board (OFB) was established in 1979. It is a departmentally run production organization functioning under the Department of Defence Production, Ministry of Defence and manufactures Arms, Ammunitions, Artillery Guns, Tanks, Combat Vehicles, Troop Comfort items and other equipment required by the Armed Forces. It serves as a dedicated production base for military hardware needs of the Armed Forces, with a view to achieve self-reliance in defence preparedness of the country.
Performance of OFB in terms of value of issue during the last three years and current year is as below:
(Rs. in Crore)

2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17 (till February 2017)
11,123	11,364	13,047	12,426

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